

## Claims

1. A method of producing a malt alcohol beverage comprising removing through adsorption at least a part of rough flavor components from malt, a malt alcohol beverage intermediate product, or the malt alcohol beverage with the aid of an adsorbent.

2. The method of producing a malt alcohol beverage according to claim 1, wherein the adsorbent is an ion-exchange resin.

3. The method of producing a malt alcohol beverage according to claim 1, wherein the adsorbent is a synthetic adsorbent.

4. The method of producing a malt alcohol beverage according to any of claims 1-3, wherein the rough flavor component is a causative substance for stale flavor or a precursor thereof.

5. The method of producing a malt alcohol beverage according to any of claims 1-4, wherein the rough flavor component is a carbonyl compound or a Maillard compound.

6. The method of producing a malt alcohol beverage according to any of claims 1-4, wherein the rough flavor component is an organic acid.